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Notice re:

Statutory Maximum Rates Under Equal Access to Justice Act

Pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA"), 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d)(2)(A), *Thangaraja v. Gonzales*, 428 F.3d 870, 876-77 (9th Cir. 2005), and Ninth Circuit Rule 30-1.6, the applicable statutory maximum hourly rates under EAJA, adjusted for increases in the cost of living, are as follows:

For work performed in -

2001: \$142.18

2002: \$144.43

2003: \$147.72

2004: \$151.65

2005: \$156.79

2006: \$161.85